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Publication is every three weeks which is 1.44 times per month or 17.3 times per year. Send $2 for 8 issues or $4 for 17 which would be just about a year's subscription.

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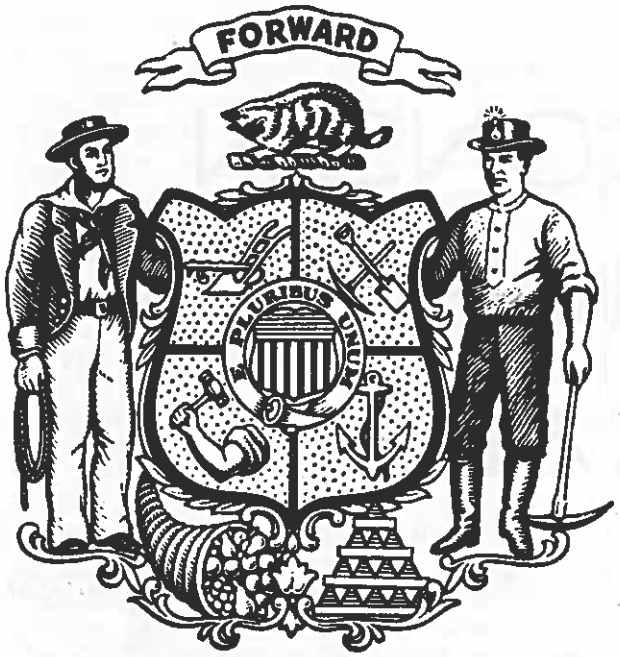

Wouldn't a full color print of the Wisconsin coat of arms look nice on the radio room wall? Sure would, and the Herald has a supply of very nicely done reproductions of the 1970 update printed on heavy 11 by 17 paper suitable for framing. It will be sent to you postpaid for $1.75. An interesting brief history of the arms and a glossary of heraldic terms is included.

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SILENT KEY reported; W9HTY After October 13, 1970 Anthony J. Porto's CW was no longer to be heard from Neenah.

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AIR FORCE MARS currently going through reorganization in Wis and is not taking new members. Watch the Herald for news.

SOCIETY OF BROADCAST ENGINEERS October meeting was held in the Wisconsin Union on the UW campus October 15. Lew Wetzel the National President was present. Several fromMilwauke TV and radio stations came to the meeting, they have recentl formed a chapter.

Speaker was Harold Kassens, Chief, FCC Rules & Standards, from Washington DC. He answered questions of interest to broadcasters and had a few words about the upcoming frequency allocation conferenc in Geneva. Looks bad for 40? Hinted that the FCC spends way too much time policing that mess called CB.

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NORTH WOODS RADIO CLUB? WB9CSQ W9GPV, WB9BYY, and W9NSA have been having a good time gettin together and would like other hams in the Eagle River-Minocqua area to join them. How about it? Contact Elmer.

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SWEEPSTAKES is coming! Are you ready? Watch December QST for field day scores.

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FOUR LAKES having an 80 meter CW WORKED ALL STATES CONTEST for their members. Work as many states as possible during January. Winners get year's dues in ARRL paid. 200 watt limit...cards due in March.

D X Meeting

MILWAUKEE RADIO AMATEURS' CLUB

sent a group to Madison's

FOUR LAKES AMATEUR RADIO CLUB

for their regular meeting on October 20. Visitors were W9RNX, WA9BPG, W9GIL, W2HH, WB9BCJ, and W9RKP.

Items of interest to the DXer and the neophyte were given by several members. W9OW explained his globe centered on his QTH for quick beam setting. W9LNM showed his 80 meter WAC cards and cards from the 26 Russian countries. W9EEQ talked about how to listen for DX and mentioned his nightly novice net on 21.210. K9EEQ mentioned the CQ DX contest with CW weekend coming Nov 28. W9BG had cards from all the deleted countries except a CR8. He also played some tapes of Gus and Don Miller at rare DX locations.

A panel discussion with W9EZ,W9EEQ,K9EEQ,W9OW,W9GIL and W9LNM tore into the recent practice of working DC through a master of ceremonies & list.

Russ Burss W9RKP explained his outgoing QSL bureau. He'll forward your QSLs to foreign bureaus for 3¢ each which is less than the postage you'd pay mailing a single card. Been doing it for 16 years.

Went down to Satterfield's Ham Shack last week to look over the selection of two meter FM gear. There was the brand new Regency HR-2 sitting right next to the Varitronics IC-2F and FDFM-2. With all the repeaters going up around the state, that Regency at $229 might be just the ticket for mobile or fixed. Smaller than a cigar box, those things work! I see Drake has out a 10 watt, 12 channel 2 meter FM rig which includes 146.94, AC & DC power, michrophone, coax and antenna for $329. You know Roy has practically everything Drake makes in stock so you can expect to see that FM package on the shelf as soon as it is available. Want a Galaxy?

That Galaxy 80-10 xcvr is all connected and waiting for you to try it on the air.

Noticed some empty shelf space in the used gear section. This might be just the time to bring in that trade-in. How about a NEW NCX-500 at $299.95 or a used Hallicrafters SR-160 at $175. Ten Tek, Hammarlund HQ 200 receiver,digital clocks, antenna insulators, antennas, CB gear new and used.

Satterfield

ELECTRONICS, Inc 608 257 4801
1900 South Park Street Madison

A good frequency to monitor in Wisconsin is

3985 kHz

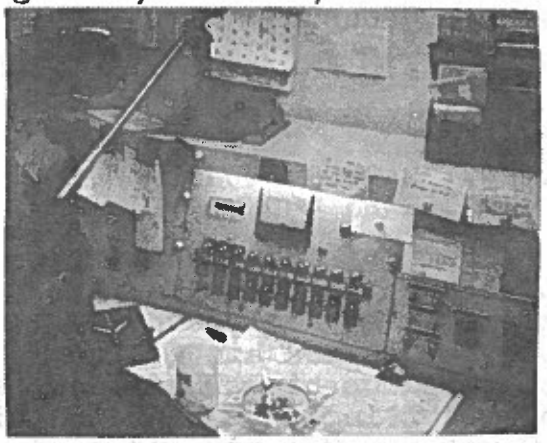
which is where the Wisconsin traffic nets meet and where mobiles can find quick help.

At 2236Z Oct 11 W9CRVmobile in Interstate 94 gave a call on 3985 which was answered by K9KSA. ACCIDENT in the EAST BOUND LANE TWO MILES WEST OF 151....a quick telephone call to State Patrol answered by

Miss Goff of District 1 HQ. She wanted to know which lane, was the road blocked, any injuries, last mile post or highway passed.

There were three accidents on a short stretch of road and the information via amateur radio was new and useful. She said it was not the first call from an amateur that evening.

The row of lever switches under the VU meter allow selection of the FM transmitter at Highland, Baraboo, or Deerfield



A footswitch puts it on the air and the receiver comes through the speaker on the right. The several other receivers all feed the left speaker. There are two identical operating consoles. Freq is abt 40 MHz.

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Now, there's a Happy Man... W9OW Chuck Johnson of Madison just got a Viking Ranger at the auction.

Auctioneer was Glenn Wolenec WA9YRH of Pine Bluff.

Good crowd and lots of junque sold.

WANTED

The man shown at the left is wanted in 50 states by the FCC bureau of apprehension on several counts. He was heard checking into a phone net by screaming break and instead of simply giving his call and waiting for net control to ask for his traffic, he blurted it right out, stepping on three others. His message had no precedence, he didn't count the check, gave the time and date as "today's" and of course the address was incomplete. The text had punctuation. He read it much too fast instead of giving it a word at a time. Other crimes listed include checking a CW net at 20% faster than he could send without all kinds of extra dots and girks. When NCS asked him a question, it was learned that his copy speed was only 30% of the speed he was sending. He is thought to have owned a copy of operating aid 9a and the ARRL=ICAO phonetic alphabet but has long since lost them and doesn't have an SASE to send to the League for another free copy. If you hear this man on the air, well, better just tolerate him because a good traffic man is hard to find. (Actually, that's my brother in law, Gary Scholl.)

TELETYPE Model 19 4sale WA9SZH Ed Wagner Madison 608 222 9689

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MOTOROLA 41V front or rear mtg 146.67MHz 12VoltsDC $50;Knight stereo amp $20.00; Nat Perry 1116 North St Racine 639 3875

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1965 BUICK specl with HW12&DC supply Bandspanner $850 WA9KFL

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First $75 takes GLOBE CHAMP CW AM Sideband LINEAR & accesories W9OTL 4330 Herrick Ln Madison

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2 meter FM xcvr reasonableIC2F Varitronics WA9HOI 105Sycamore St West Bend 334 7782

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80 meters=HW 12A xcvr,AC supply $100 WA9WGT Bob Finger 533½ Clermont,Antigo,715 623 3107

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TELETYPE Mod 19 complete,just plug in 120-must be seen! B77A line unit; Twin City & "W2JAV" Terminal Unit; 14F-6 Reperf Trans Unit; ART 13 sharp with partial Hi V supply; RBW 2 PANADAPTER 5.25 MHz input; TS 323UR Freq Mtr 20-480 MHz with pwr sup 204; SUPER PRO BC779 rcvr; pwr supplys & misc electronic gear; ARC 1 2 mtr & sup nds wk-NO REASONABLE OFFER REFUSED by Archie Schmidt WA9DXW,R 1 Box146 Cambridge Wis Res 423 3668,Office 255 5577

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COLLINS: 30L-1,75S-3B,32S-1 516F-2. Package Deal Best Offer over $1000 WA9GAQ Milw.

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Don't forget to send for that full color print of the Wisconsin Coat of Arms - just right for framing.

40 & 80 Dipole CLIFF DWELLER WA9OAY Watertown 261 7107

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WANTED: Military AC pwr supply for BC312 W9UDY Monona

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Power supply for Viking KW - E F Johnson Surplus $50 -- BRAND NEW--without choke $45 Delivered near Madison,Box EF

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Hallicrafters CRX-100 27-50MHz portable monitor - brand new! $25 (worth $40) Box BB Herald

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Heath DX 100 xmtr $85 Box AA

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Humidifier to fight that dry winter air,holds 8 gal K9KSA

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H E R A L D W A N T A D S

50¢ per line of 30 characters

SX-110 Globe Chief VF-1 more! exl start chp WA9YEC 1701 W 8th Marshfield

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Bill Kimble,502 Carl Schurz Dr Watertown has 80-40 mtr CLIFF DWELLER remote control dipole.

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Wanted; MASTER MOBILE 75 meter antenna coil WB9BAH Rt3 Westby Wis 59667 Ray Buhr

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REAL ESTATE in Milwaukee area? Give W9YAL a call at 466 8580, he's SUNSET Realty & Insurance

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Let's do some buying and selling...you'd like to move up or clean out some surplus or locate that something specil ...and someone nearby could use your old rig...so why not advertize in the Herald. Ads are cheap at 50¢ per line.

NORTHERN WISCONSIN RADIO CLUB met at the new Science and Technology Building at Stout in Menomonie Oct 27th. K9HJT announced the meeting on the Wisconsin Side Band Net=3985.

TRI COUNTY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB seems to be going strong now. Last word from them says they had a history of ham radio slide show at Whitewater State U on Sep 27.

Harold Peck K9WOK is the postmaster at Lyons and says Tri County ARC has been in existance for years.

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COLUMBUS HIGH SCHOOL has about 20 students interested in a club says Father Tim WA9SLZ.

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7258 kHz is where you will find MIDCARS net all day every day. If you are mobile and want someone to ride along with you(on the radio),check in. The closest thing to the old National Calling and Emergency Frequencies (which are now defunct) and a good frequency to monitor.

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As Paul said to Timothy; Do you want to be truly rich? You already are if you are happy and good. After all, we didn't bring any money with us when we came into the world, and we can't carry away a single penny when we die.

What's going on here between WA9QNI who is manager of the Wisconsin Side Band Net and K9FHI Roy Pedersen of Juneau? Can't tell you yet but remember you saw it first in the Herald.

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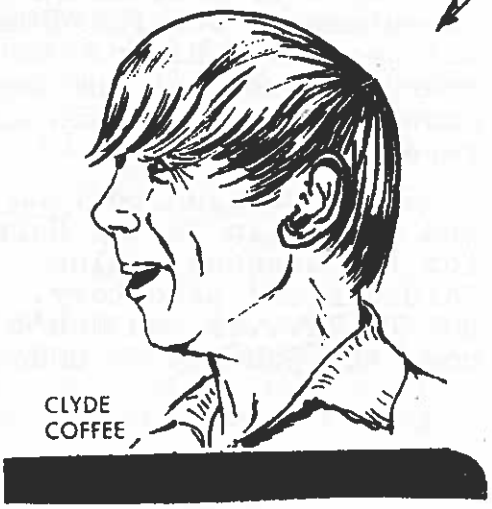
TWO TWO METER REPEATERS now on the air in Madison. WA9PBW is on 146.34/146.76. A second one has been built and tested by the CentralWisconsin Repeater Association. The receiver is at W9ZBD's home with a 450 MHz link to the transmitter at WA9CDY's. K9YXW and WA9SOU also in on it.

Besides K9KSA you can also talk to W9HSY on the rptr.



Send in that subscription for the Herald TODAY. If you think Wisconsin hams can benefit from a newspaper, then support it with your two bucks. Who's going to sponsor the WNA picnic next year? Will there be a hamfest in Wis next summer. Will someone give a banquet for hams in the state. This is the place for the exchange of information.

Wisconsin has long needed a means for effective advertizing. This is IT. Send in your want ad TODAY. Buying or selling within the state or even within the county or city is much easier than shipping your DX 100 to Idaho. Advertizing always pays, it doesn't cost.

A want ad in the Herald is only 50¢ per line. Please be sure to count spaces etc. Make your ad complete enuf to be effective.

I know of 2 meter FM repeaters in Delafield and Slinger and Madison. Are there others? Let the Herald know for the Wisconsin area repeater directory.

Get your club meeting dates and agenda in to the Herald for the Wisconsin Club Calendar and Directory. But DO IT...if you don't act now, the job may go undone.

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